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ORDINANCE NO. 2020-070

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING THE CLOSURE OF MALLS, BEAUTY PARLORS, SPAS, BARBER SHOPS AND SIMILAR ESTABLISHMENTS IN THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA AND REGULATING THE OPERATION OF RESTAURANTS AND OTHER EATERIES TO EFFECTIVELY IMPLEMENT SOCIAL DISTANCING DURING THE QUARANTINE PERIOD.

Sponsored by: *Hon. Coun. Atty. Raul R. Corro*
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WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020 the World Health Organization (WHO) declared COVID-19 a "pandemic";

WHEREAS, the Department of Health has elevated the outbreak as Code Red Sub- Level 2 due to the "continued and accelerated spread of the COVID-19 as has been observed within the National Capital Region (NCR);

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 11 (Series of 2020) issued by the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease was adopted by His Excellency, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, effectively placing the entire NCR under community quarantine;

WHEREAS, one of the means to effectively contain the spread of the virus is to implement social distancing and community quarantine by restricting the movement of people and encouraging them to stay at home during this serious health crisis now being faced by NCR and the entire country;

WHEREAS, various policies like the declaration of curfew, class suspensions in schools, regulations in the public and private transport, alternative work arrangement in the public sector and adjusted work schedules in the private sector are being implemented to keep people home;



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NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, by the 9th Sangguniang Panglungsod in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. Short Title. This ordinance shall be known as the Closure of Malls and other establishments for Social Distancing;

SECTION 2. Scope. This Ordinance shall apply to all malls and other establishments within the jurisdiction of the City;

SECTION 3. Definition of Terms. The following terms when used in this ordinance shall mean:

- a) **Mall** - a large building or series of connected buildings containing a variety of retail stores and other outlets.
- b) **Restaurant** – a place where people pay to sit and eat meals that are cooked and served in the premises.
- c) **Carinderia** - a food stall with a small seating area typically in a market or roadside.

SECTION 4. Exemption. The following establishments are exempt in the application of this ordinance:

- a) **Banks, pawnshops, money transfer firms**
- b) **Groceries**
- c) **Supermarkets**
- d) **Drug stores;**
- e) **Pharmacies;**
- f) **Hardware;**

SECTION 5. Restaurants, carinderias and other eateries shall only be allowed to accept take-out orders and shall refrain from providing dine in services during the period of community quarantine;

SECTION 6. Corporate Social Responsibility. It shall be the corporate social responsibility of the mall/ restaurant operators/owners and other establishments to post in their premises notices/ warnings of the spread and ill effects of the COVID 19 virus;

SECTION 7. Penalty. Any establishment found violating this ordinance shall be closed and their business permits suspended during the quarantine period. It shall only be allowed to reopen its business operations if it makes an undertaking that it will not violate this ordinance during the quarantine period.

SECTION 7. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ENACTED, by 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod this 16th day of March, 2020 on its 36th Regular Session.



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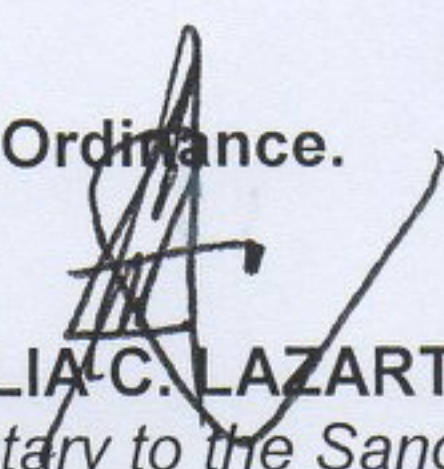
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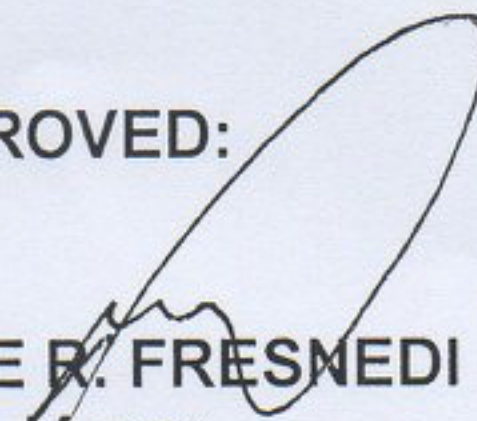
I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.


CECILIA C. LAZARTE
Secretary to the Sangguniang

ATTESTED:

ARTEMIO A. SIMUNDAC
City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


ATTY. JAIME R. FRESNEDI
City Mayor

Date: 17 MAR 2020